

PATENT APPLICATION  
Q-55806

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Yoichi OKAMOTO et al.

Appln. No.:

Group Art Unit:

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Examiner:

For: PNEUMATIC RADIAL TIRES



**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of voluntary disclosure under Rule 56, and for the Examiner's convenience, we submit herewith:

- a) a form PTO-1449 listing one (1) reference of potential relevancy; and,
- b) a complete copy of reference.

No certification or fee is required.

Regarding the concise explanation of relevancy requirement for foreign language documents, a brief English-language summary is also attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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